J. de ja	d y L	xpress Mail No. EV529825158U				
FORM PTO-1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COM (REV 12-2004)	MERCE PATE D TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTORNEY S. CKET NO. 859063.535USPC				
DESIGNATED/ELI	FER TO THE UNITED STATE ECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)  10/500,314  10/500314				
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION	NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DA	ATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED				
PCT/FR02/04580	December 27, 2002	December 28, 2001				
TITLE OF INVENTION						
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US	IB-SAMPLING					
Jean Nicolai and Marie Rimpault	•					
	ed States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO	US) the following items and other information:				
1. This is a FIRST submission	of items concerning a submission under 3	5 U.S.C. 371.				
2. This is a SECOND or SUB	SEQUENT submission of items concerning	g a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.				
3. This is an express request t items (5), (6), (9) and (21) i	• •	5 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include				
4. The US has been elected (A	rticle 31).					
5. A copy of the International	Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).					
a. is attached hereto (	required only if not communicated by the In	nternational Bureau).				
b. has been communic	cated by the International Bureau.					
c. is not required, as t	he application was filed in the United State	s Receiving Office (RO/US).				
6. X An English language transla	tion of the International Application as file	d (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).				
a.  is attached hereto.						
b. has been previously	submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
7. Amendments to the claims of	of the International Application under PCT	Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))				
a. are attached hereto	(required only if not communicated by the	International Bureau).				
b. have been commun	icated by the International Bureau.					
c. have not been made	e; however, the time limit for making such a	amendments has NOT expired.				
	and will not be made.	·				
8. An English language transla	tion of the amendments to the claims under	PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).				
_	e inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
_	tion of the annexes to the International Pre	liminary Examination Report under PCT				
Items 11 to 20 below concern docu	ment(s) or information included:					
11. An Information Disclosure	Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
12. An assignment document fo	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13.						
14. [ An Application Data Sheet up	nder 37 CFR 1.76					
15. A substitute specification.						

# 20. Other items or information: Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements

18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

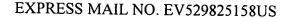
16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.

17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.

19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)		INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.		ATT	ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER				
	10/500,314		PCT/FR02/04580		859063.535USPC					
	21. The following fees are submitted:									
	a) Basic national fee\$300.00							\$	.00	
	b) Exam	nination fee				\$200.0	0 [	\$	.00	•
	c) Searc				\$500.00			\$	.00	
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$1000.00					0	\$	.00	
	Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is									
	\$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.									
	Total Sheets   Extra Sheets   Number of ea									
				of (round up to a						:
	100 -	/50 -	whole numbe	r)	V 6250				00	<u> </u>
	100 =	/50 =			X \$250	0.00		\$	.00	
	Surcharge of \$130 earliest claimed pri			laration later than 30	months f	rom the		\$	.00	
	Claims		lumber Filed	Number Ext	ra	Rate		<u> </u>		
	Total Claims		- 20=			x \$ 50.00		\$	.00	
	Independent Claim		- 3=			x \$ 200.00	_	\$	.00	
	MULTIPLE DEPE	ENDENT CLAIN				+ \$360.00	<del></del>	\$	.00	
	Applicant clain	ne emall antity e		OF ABOVE CALC R 1.27. The fees indi			+	\$	.00	
	reduced by 1/2		ialus. See 37 Cr	K 1.27. The lees mu	calcu abl	ove are		\$	.00	
					SUBTO	TAL =		\$	.00	
				h translation later than	30 mon	ths from the	•			
	earliest claimed pri	iority date (37 C	FR 1.492(f)).	TOTAL NAT	CYON A I	+		\$:	130.00	
	Fee for recording t	he enclosed assi	gnment (37 CEP	TOTAL NAT			<del></del>	<u> </u>	.00	
							.	\$	.00	
	accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property + \$ .00  TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = \$130.00									
02/07	702/2005 MKAYPAGH 00000027 10500314  Amount to be refunded:									
01 E	Fq:161B 130.00 OP							Amoun		
AT L	LA:1010 130:00 GL								arged:	
	=			above fees is enclose						
			Account No. 19 opy of this sheet	-1090 in the amount of is enclosed.	of \$	to cover th	e			
				charge any additional						
	overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  d. Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.									
	NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.									
	SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:									
	Dennis M. de Guzman SIGNATURE									
	Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC									
	701 5 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 6300 Seattle, WA 98104-7092  Dennis M. de Guzman NAME							<del></del>		
	Seattle, WA 98104-7092 NAME United States of America									
	(206) 622-4900									
	REGISTRATION NUMBER									

557042\_1.DOC





### United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Dox 1450 Alexandris, Vinginia 22313-1450 www.uspiu.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTY. DOCKET NO.

10/500.314

Jean Nicolai

859063.535USPC

RECEIVED

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/FR02/04580

Seed Intelectual Property Law Group 701 5th Avenue **Suite 6300** 

Seattle, WA 98104-7092

DEC 1 3 2004

LA. FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE

12/27/2002 12/28/2001

Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC

**CONFIRMATION NO. 9871 371 FORMALITIES LETTER** 

\*OC000000014708832\*

Date Mailed: 12/09/2004

## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/28/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/28/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/28/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/28/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/28/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/28/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/28/2004
- Substitute Specification filed on 06/28/2004
- Assignment filed on 06/28/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 06/28/2004
- Power of Attorney filed on 06/28/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
  - You sent me a substitute specification and the mark-up copy. However, I need the translation of the published application as filed to process this application.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months





from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

WINSTON M ALVARADO

Telephone: (703) 305-6421

### PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/500,314	PCT/FR02/04580	859063.535USPC

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)